COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

PURCHASED WATER ADJUSTMENT)
OF MONROE COUNTY WATER) CASE NO. 2003-00306
DISTRICT)

ORDER

On August 5, 2003, Monroe County Water District ("Monroe County") applied for approval to adjust its rates pursuant to the purchased water adjustment procedure. KRS 278.012 and 807 KAR 5:068.

The Commission, having reviewed the record and being sufficiently advised, finds that:

- Monroe County purchases water from the city of Tompkinsville ("Tompkinsville").
- 2. Tompkinsville notified Monroe County that effective with its September 1, 2003 billing, its wholesale water rate would increase from \$1.15 per 1,000 gallons to \$1.25 per 1,000 gallons. Monroe County proposes to increase the water rates to its customers effective September 1, 2003.
- 3. During the 12 months ending May 31, 2003, Monroe County purchased a total of 215,453,200 gallons of water and sold 180,019,840 gallons. The increase in the cost of purchased water is \$21,545, resulting in a purchased water adjustment of \$0.12 per 1,000 gallons.

4. The purchased water adjustment of \$0.12 per 1,000 gallons is fair, just, and reasonable and should be approved.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that:

- 1. The proposed rates by Monroe County are approved.
- 2. The purchased water adjustment of \$0.12 per 1,000 gallons and the rates in Appendix A, attached hereto and incorporated herein, are fair, just, and reasonable and are approved for services rendered on and after September 1, 2003.
- 3. Within 20 days of the date of this Order, Monroe County shall file with the Commission revised tariff sheets showing the rates approved herein.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 28th day of August, 2003.

By the Commission

ATTEST:

Executive Director

APPENDIX A

APPENDIX TO AN ORDER OF THE KENTUCKY PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION IN CASE NO. 2003-00306 DATED August 28, 2003

The following rates and charges are prescribed for the customers in the area served by Monroe County Water District. All other rates and charges not specifically mentioned herein shall remain the same as those in effect under authority of the Commission prior to the effective date of this Order.

Monthly Water Rates

5/8 Inch Mete	<u>r</u>			
First	2,000	gallons	\$ 14.08	Minimum bill
Next	3,000	gallons	4.53	per 1,000 gallons
Next	5,000	gallons	3.89	per 1,000 gallons
All Over	10,000	gallons	3.25	per 1,000 gallons
1 Inch Meter				
First	5,000	gallons	\$ 27.67	Minimum bill
Next	5,000	gallons	3.89	per 1,000 gallons
All Over	10,000	gallons	3.25	per 1,000 gallons
2 Inch Meter				
First	20,000	gallons	\$ 79.62	Minimum bill
All Over	20,000	gallons	3.25	per 1,000 gallons